

STATE CONTROLLER'S OFFICE
PERSONNEL/PAYROLL SERVICES DIVISION
P. O. BOX 942850
Sacramento, CA 94250-5878

DATE: December 9, 2015

PAYROLL LETTER #15-018
(Civil Service Only)

TO: All Agencies in the Uniform State Payroll System

FROM: Debra Spellman, Acting Chief
Personnel/Payroll Services Division

RE: **2016 STATE DISABILITY INSURANCE (SDI) RATES**

The Employment Development Department published the new 2016 State Disability Insurance rates. For 2016, the withholding rate of 0.9% of eligible earnings will continue to be the same as it was in 2015. However, the annual taxable wage limit increased to \$106,742 per employee with a maximum contribution of \$960.68. These changes will take effect beginning with payments issued on or after January 1, 2016.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Elena Oberman at eoberman@sco.ca.gov.

DS: JD: EO: TSS